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SENATE BILL 155

43RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1997

INTRODUCED BY

PAULINE B. EISENSTADT

AN ACT

RELATING TO EDUCATION; ADDRESSING THE TEACHING OF EVOLUTION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. A new section of the Public School Code is enacted to read:

" [NEW MATERIAL] TEACHING OF EVOLUTION. -- In determining public school curriculum policy or prescribing courses of instruction for public schools, the state board shall adopt curriculum standards for life sciences and earth and space sciences that conform with the national academy of sciences' national science education standards for life sciences and earth and space sciences. "

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5 February 11, 1997
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7 Mr. President:
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9 Your EDUCATION COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred
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11 SENATE BILL 155
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13 has had it under consideration and reports same with
14 recommendation that it DO PASS.
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16 Respectfully submitted,
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21 Cynthia Nava, Chairman
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The roll call vote was 4 For 3 Against

Yes: 4

No: Boitano, Nava, Rawson

Excused: Duran, Gorham, Pinto

Absent: None

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FIRST SESSION

February 17, 1997

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT number _____ to SENATE BILL 155

Amendment sponsored by Senator Timothy Z. Jennings

1. On page 1, line 23, after the period insert:

"Nothing in this section shall preclude the state board from adopting inclusive curriculum standards in other areas of study such as required humanities courses."

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State of New Mexico House of Representatives

**FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE
FIRST SESSION, 1997**

March 15, 1997

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8 Mr. Speaker:

9 Your BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY COMMITTEE, to whom has
10 been referred

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12 SENATE BILL 155, as amended

13 has had it under consideration and reports same WITHOUT
14 RECOMMENDATION, and thence referred to the EDUCATION
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Fred Luna, Chairman

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The roll call vote was 7 For 0 Against

Yes: 7

Excused: Alwin, Getty, Gubbels, Hobbs, Rodella, Varela

Absent: None

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